## REMARKS

This Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment is intended to fully respond to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed April 11, 2007. In that Notice, the Examiner indicated that each claim had not been provided with the proper status identifier, and, as such, the individual status of each claim could not be identified. In this Response, each claim has now been identified with the proper status identifier. No additional amendments have been made to the claims since the Amendment was filed on January 31, 2007, and the claims, other than the amended status identifiers, are being presented in the same form as in the Amendment filed January 31, 2007.

## Conclusion

It is believed that no further fees are due with this Response. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment with respect to this patent application to deposit account number 13-2725. Such deficiencies include extensions of time required, if any, and the Commissioner is thus authorized to consider this a constructive petition and authorization for such.

Respectfully submitted,

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